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In re Application of:

Rodrigues et. al.

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Reply is in response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2006 in the above-captioned application. A response was first due on or before August 18, 2006. A Request for a Three-Month Extension accompanies this Response. With the extension, the Response is due November 18, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.